

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CULTURE
LOK SABHA**

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GUIDED TOUR AT NATIONAL MUSEUM
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Will the Minister of CULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has introduced Guided Tour Scheme at the National Museum, Delhi;
- (b) if so, the salient features of the scheme;
- (c) whether it is proposed to extend the scheme to all other places of historical importance/monuments in the country;
- (d) if so, the details thereof monuments-wise; and
- (e) the time by which the above scheme is likely to be implemented ?

Answer

MINISTER OF CULTURE (SMT. CHANDRESH KUMARI KATOCH)

- (a)&(b) Yes, Madam. The Government has introduced the 'Path Pradarshak' Volunteer Guide Scheme at the National Museum, New Delhi. Two batches of volunteers from all walks of life have been trained to act as guides for visitors to the National Museum. The guided tours are available on a daily basis at the Museum.
- (c) No Sir.
- (d) & (e) Question does not arise.